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AMENDMENTS AND RESPONSE TO THE OUTSTANDING OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 02, 2007

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Examiner Leung;

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Please amend the first paragraph on page 1; the second paragraph on page 25, and the first paragraph on page 26 of the specification. Amendments to those paragraphs are shown in the following pages.

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 1 - 3, 6 - 8 and 10. Please amend original claims 4, 5 and 9, and add new claims 11- 19 . There are now 12 claims in this application.

Applicant truly submits that the amendments to the specification and the addition of new claims do not introduce any new matter which cannot be reasonably inferred from the specification as originally filed.